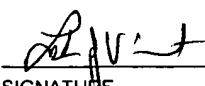


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| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.<br>PCT/US2005/011886   | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE<br>08 April 2005 | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED<br>09 April 2004  |
| TITLE OF INVENTION<br>WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEXING PASSIVE OPTICAL NETWORK HAVING MULTIPLE BRANCHES OF OPTICAL DISTRIBUTION  |  |   |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US<br>LEE, Chang Hee, <i>et al.</i>   |  |   |
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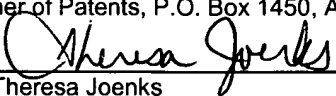
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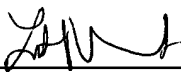
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